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SUBJECT: MCDONNELL DOUGLAS ACTIVITIES IN GULF

REF: (A) KUWAIT 2467 (B) ABU DHABI 1260 (C) ABU DHABI 1305

1. WE ARE NOT IN POSITION TO RESPOND TO REQUEST IN REF C LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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FOR OUR VIEWS ON MCDONNELL DOUGLAS FINANCE CORPORATION PROPOSAL DUE TO LACK OF INFORMATION NECESSARY FOR ADEQUATE ASSESSMENT.

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- 2. RECOMMEND EMBASSY ASSIST MDFC REPS IN ARRANGING CONTACTS WITH ABU DHABI OFFICIALS AND CONTINUE TO MONITOR PROGRESS OF MDFC EFFORTS, BUT WOULD PREFER NOT TO BECOME MORE ACTIVELY INVOLVED AT THIS STAGE.
- 3. HOWEVER, SUGGEST YOU REITERATE TO MDFC REPS MESSAGE GIVEN POHLE BY EMBASSY KUWAIT (SEE REF A) TO EFFECT (THAT INVESTMENT ASPECT OF PROPOSAL COULD INVOLVE SEVERAL QUESTIONS WHICH FALL WITHIN TERMS OF REFERENCE OF NEW COMMITTEE ON FOREIGN INVESTMENT IN THE UNITED STATES AND (B) THAT COMMITTEE IS AVAILABLE FOR CONSULTATION WITH MDFC OR ANY POTENTIAL FOREIGN GOVERNMENT INVESTOR OR BOTH. SISCO

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